

WILDLIFE SAFARI | TANZANIA

7-Day Big Five Safari in Tanzania

DURATION	FROM (PER PERSON)	TRIP STYLE	TRIP CODE
7 days / 6 nights	£2,348.40	Wildlife Safari	WTE-3755

Overview

Lion, leopard, elephant, rhino and buffalo: this 7-day safari is designed to give you the best chance of seeing all of Africa's Big Five across four of northern Tanzania's finest parks.

With two full days in the Serengeti and a game drive inside Ngorongoro Crater, one of the best places in East Africa to see black rhino, the itinerary covers every habitat the Big Five call home.

Your safari at a glance

- Tarangire National Park: large elephant herds among giant baobab trees
- Serengeti National Park (2 days): endless plains, big cats and vast herds of grazing animals
- Ngorongoro Crater: the world's largest unbroken caldera, packed with wildlife including black rhino
- Lake Manyara National Park: tree-climbing lions, baboons and flamingos

Who it suits

First-time safari travellers who want the classic Tanzania experience, and anyone with the Big Five on their bucket list. Airport transfers, game drives and a professional driver-guide are included.

Day-by-Day Itinerary

DAY 01

Arusha

A safari guide from our office will pick you up at Kilimanjaro International Airport or Arusha Airport and transfer you to your hotel in Arusha for relaxation and your overnight stay. You'll spend the evening preparing for your adventure the next day. You are welcome to explore the city with our guide for free.

Main Destination: Arusha (City)

Accommodation: Arusha Planet Lodge

Meals & Drinks: Breakfast & Dinner (Lunch not included)

DAY 02

Tarangire National Park

You'll be picked up from the lodge early in the morning and start a beautiful journey to Tarangire National Park with a lunch box in hand. Tarangire is well known for its large elephant herds and diverse landscapes—from seasonal swamps to savanna. You might get the chance to see lions stalking their prey or leopards relaxing in the trees. Once the game drive is over we'll drive you to your lodge for dinner and your overnight stay.

Main Destination: Tarangire National Park

Accommodation: Marera Valley Lodge

Meals & Drinks: All Meals Included

DAY 03–04

Serengeti National Park

After breakfast we'll depart for the Serengeti. You'll enjoy lunch in a suitable place inside the park. The rest of the afternoon will be spent on a game drive before you make you way to the camp. You will spend the second day on a full day game drive. The Serengeti is well known for its migrating herds of zebra, antelope, and wildebeest. Be ready to see resident predators, including leopards, cheetahs, and lion, all fulfilling their role in the circle of life.

Main Destination: Serengeti National Park

Accommodation: Kon Tiki Serengeti Camp

Meals & Drinks: All Meals Included

DAY 05

Ngorongoro Crater

After breakfast, we'll depart Ngorongoro for a game drive with lunch boxes in hand. This park is made up of the largest uninterrupted caldera in the world and is one of the natural wonders of Africa. About 30,000 large mammals (such as buffaloes, lions, elephants, cheetahs, and rhinos) and many varieties of birds (such as flamingos, eagles, and buzzards) are resident year-round. Be ready to see many animals here within a short period of time!

Main Destination: Ngorongoro Crater

Accommodation: Marera Valley Lodge

Meals & Drinks: All Meals Included

DAY 06

Lake Manyara National Park

After breakfast, we'll depart for Lake Manyara for a game drive with a lunch box in hand. Once we finish the game drive we will transfer you to Arusha for relaxation, dinner, and your overnight stay. Lake Manyara is famous for its arboreal lions who hide amidst the tree branches. There are also numerous baboon colonies that will accompany you along the road from the moment you enter the park.

Main Destination: Lake Manyara National Park

Accommodation: Arusha Planet Lodge

Meals & Drinks: All Meals Included

DAY 07

Arusha

After breakfast you'll relax at the lodge and, if time allows, go on a short tour in Arusha for shopping. You'll then transfer to the Arusha or Kilimanjaro Airports.

Main Destination: Arusha (City)

Accommodation: No Accommodation

Ready to book this trip?

From £2,348.40 per person. Dates and private departures available on request.

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